12. State Service and women.

Deputy President.—Next No. 12.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—"This Council recommends to the Government to throw open to women all Departments of the State service except those of Excise, Police and Military".

ഗവമ്മെണ്ടു ഇഴ നിശ്ചയത്തിന്റെ തത്വം സ്വീകരിച്ചു പ്രവത്തിച്ചുതുടങ്ങിട്ടുണ്ടെന്നാണു് എന്റെ അറിവു് അതിനാൽ ഇതിനെ അവർ അനുകൂലിക്കുമെന്നുള്ള ഉദ്ദേശത്തോടുകൂടി ....

ഡെപ്യൂട്ടി പ്രസിഡെണ്ടു്.—മന്നിനും അവക്കു വിരോധമില്ല.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. അയ്യപ്പൻ.—ചിലക്കു വിരോധമുണ്ടു്.

ഡെപ്യൂട്ടി പ്രസിഡെണ്ടു്.—ഇല്ല; അവക്കു അങ്ങിനെ ഒരു വിരോധവും ഇല്ല. അങ്ങിനെ ആവശ്യപ്പെട്ടിട്ടില്ലാ എന്നു മാത്രമേയുള്ളൂ.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. അയ്യപ്പൻ.—ഇതിനു പ്രസംഗം ഒന്നും ആവശ്യമില്ല. അതുകൊണ്ടു പ്രസംഗിക്കുന്നുമില്ല.

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—There is no opposition to it. We cannot accept it in toto. We accepted the principle and allowed the Chief Justice to appoint ladies as clerks, and we wanted to see how it worked.

Mr. K. Ayyappan.—I don't press.

Hence the resolution as well as the following amendment were considered withdrawn :—

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Omit the word 'except those of Excise, Police and Military' in the end.

13. Transfer of the Maharaja's College.

As Mr. Thomas Manjuran was absent, the following resolution was considered withdrawn :—

Mr. Thomas Manjuran. — "This Council humbly recommends that a committee of this House, consisting of three officials and six non-officials, be elected and asked to go into the whole question of transfer of the Maharaja's College, Ernakulam, to Anappara and consider the matter from every point of view and make recommendations and suggestions covering the whole question, and that the Government may keep the proposal of transfer in abeyance till the report of that committee is submitted".

14. Inquiry into taxation.

Mr. C. V. Kuriyan being absent, the following resolution and amendment were considered withdrawn:—

Mr. C. V. Kuriyan.—"This Council recommends to the Government that a mixed committee of officials and non-officials be appointed for a general enquiry into taxation on the following lines :—

(1) to examine the manner in which the burden of taxation is distributed at present between the different classes of population;

(2) to consider whether the whole scheme of taxation is equitable and in accordance with economic principles, and if not, in what respect it is defective;

(3) to report on the suitability of fresh and alternative sources of taxation and, if possible, to draft an Income-tax Regulation".

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Omit the words 'if possible' in (3).

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